GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1796
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CONSUMER INFORMATION CENTRES
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of District Consumer Information Centresestablished so far and those in operation in the country, State-wise and district-wise;

(b) whether NGOs are involved in the setting up process; and

(c) if so, the facts thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a) : Statement is annexed.

(b) & (c): Yes, Sir. The District ConsumerInformation Centresare established either by Zilla Parishad or reputed voluntary Consumer Organization/NGOwhohasbeenduly verified/recommended by the concerned State Government/District Collector/District Magistrate.

ANNEXURE

LIST SHOWING THE NUMBER OF DCICs SANCTIONED/RELEASED

Sl. No.	Name of the State	No. of DCICs sanctioned/ released	Name of the District 2001-02	2002-03
1.	Andhra Pradesh	1	Guntur	
2.	Chandigarh	1	Chandigarh	
3.	Daman & Diu	1	Moti Daman	
4.	Delhi	2	Kidwai Nagar	Mayur Vihar
5.	Gujarat	3	Rajkot, Sabarakanta	Vadodra
6.	Haryana	1	Jhajjar	
7	Manipur	6	Chandel, Imphal(2), Bishnupur	Thoubal, Senapati,
8.	Madhya Pradesh	3	Bhopal(2), Gwalior	
9.	Maharashtra	1	Ahmednagar	
10.	Mizoram	1	Aizawl	
11.	Orissa	7	Mayurbhanj, Kandhamal, Bhadrak, Kalahandi, Balangir, Balasore, Angul	

12.	Pondicherry	2	Karaikal,	Ayyenkutipalayam
13.	Rajasthan	3	Chittorgarh,	Dausa, Ajmer
14.	Uttaranchal	3	Dehradun,	Almora
	Chamoli			
15.	West Bengal	6	Midnapur,	Kidderpore,
	Bankura, Kolkata	Nadia, Hooghly		
16.	Sikkim	1	Gangtok (East)	
17.	Kerala	1		Thiruvanantapuram
18.	Tamil Nadu	1		Ramnathapuram

Total 44